

A WAR OF WORDS.

Indulged In at the Council Chamber Last Evening.

A Contract with the Holly Company Reported and Laid Over.

Mr. McKean Warns the Council Against the Holly Engine.

The Water Works Trustees Properly Refuse to Labor for \$150 a Year.

The council met last night in regular session, with his honor the mayor in the chair, and all the councilmen present excepting Councilman Dreyer. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The following bills were read and allowed:

Street commissioner's pay roll, 1879	\$574 50
C. G. Peters, streets	103 28
O. F. Smith, streets	12 35
Chicago Bridge Works, fire department	8 60
McIntosh & Kitchey, same	32 84
C. G. Peters, same	15 16
C. M. Burton, same	34 16
James Fox, public buildings	3 75
Shank & Kitchey, police	8 65
G. B. Hager, scavenger	7 50
Trustees and engineer of water works	47 60
J. G. Meyer, assessment and taxes	0 60
James Fox, police	8 65
H. M. Diehl, police	5 00
Total	\$771 90

The bill of the city commissioners for \$88, for services in opening alleys, was referred to the city attorney.

The following petitions were presented and referred to their proper committees: The petition of Wm. Schiwer and others to exclude Hough's out-lots from the city tax duplicate; of Susan C. Beck and Susan Thompson for widow's exemptions from taxes; the petition of the A. U. Telegraph Company to erect poles on Main street (granted); the petition of property owners on Lillie street to have sidewalks built opposite out-lots 3 and 6 and have the work done by the street commissioner.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The finance committee reported that they had examined the reports of the mayor, clerk, treasurer and market master, and found them correct and corresponding to the books; concurred in.

The committee on streets reported in favor of the following petitions: C. Kramer, for planking the alley running from Monroe to Hanna street between Lewis and Madison streets; E. O'Rourke, to close the alley between lots 88 and 89 in Hanna's addition; St. Joseph's Hospital, to fence in the city lots east of that building; and adverse to the petition of H. Metter for sidewalk on Taylor street; in favor of the resolution to open Shick street. They also reported that they had closed a contract for a car-load of cedar blocks at \$8.00 per cord for street purposes. Concurred in.

The committee on markets recommended that the ordinance regarding the sale of meats at retail by farmers on the street on market days be passed, but that they shall not be deprived of selling by the quarter. Concurred in.

The committee on rules, regulations and ordinances reported that the ordinance for the purchase of the Olds property was correct, also the ordinance for the issue of bonds was also correct and regular excepting a few clerical errors. Concurred in.

The committee on assessments and taxes reported in favor of deferring the passage of the resolution to exclude Hough's out-lots; against the petition of Mrs. M. T. Laury for reduction of appraisal; against the reduction of tax on certain lots in Wood's out-lots; in favor of the petition of Rhine Caps for rebate of tax on personal property as presented by a previous petition. Concurred in.

The committee on water works reported contract and bond of Moeller & Paul, for the building of the boiler works and reported in favor of the same. Concurred in.

The special committee to investigate into the remonstrance of Volney Parks against building certain sidewalks on Lillie street recommended that further action on the same be suspended for this season. The report evoked considerable discussion but was finally concurred in.

The special committee to consider the proposition of Bass, Simons & Co., to furnish the city with pipe and power supply for the water works, reported the estimate of Engineer Cook, and recommended that the same be printed and that further action on the matter be postponed until it was so printed.

Another lengthy skirmish followed. Nobody seemed to know just exactly what was being argued. The report was concurred in.

The water works trustees reported that R. D. Wood & Co., had drawn on them for \$1,000 for estimates allowed on pipes furnished. Also that other parties would soon draw on them. That there was freight to pay, but no money in their hands to pay with, and therefore would recommend that the council furnish them funds for immediate use. Received and filed.

They also reported for approval the contract with the Holly Manufacturing Company, of Lockport, for one high and one low pressure engine for the sum of \$30,500, and recommend that the same be approved. The contract was read for one Holly quadruple compound non-condensing engine, with full specifications. The same was ordered printed.

by Councilman McKean, who presented an array of figures not very encouraging for the Holly engine, showing that by comparison it was a very poor engine. He stated the council should have time to consider the same or the council would soon find themselves the victims of a tremendous steal.

A general discussion by everyone who could get a word in was now in order, and a great deal of talking was done but not much was said. Motions, withdrawals and amendments followed each other until finally it was referred back to the trustees and engineer to make a full report and showing of the record of the Holly engines.

The trustees also presented the following communication:

Gentlemen of the Council:

We are compelled to say to you that we will not long retain the office of water works trustees unless you make the salaries, large enough to compensate us, to some extent, for the time that is required for the proper discharge of the duties. We have found the responsibility to be great and the duties onerous. We will never consent to be placed upon the pay roll for \$150 per annum. The estimate of Mr. Cook was liberal enough to allow fair compensation for all services performed. We have worked faithfully and conscientiously for the best interest of the city, and leave it for you to say whether we shall continue to carry on the work that we have begun.

Respectfully,

CHRISTIAN ROSEKRA,
CHARLES MCCOY, CLERK,
HENRY MOORE.

Which was referred to the water works committee.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The city civil engineer reported to recommend the postponement of the building of sidewalks on College street. Concurred in.

Also estimates be made in favor of Christian Grafmiller, J. W. Langohr and J. M. Housch; also final estimates in favor of J. W. Langohr and Anson Kronk for sidewalk, and for J. B. Beason for sand pits; which estimates were read and allowed.

The city clerk reported a number of affidavits of Christian Grafmiller for precepts, which were granted. He also submitted the contracts and bonds of J. W. Langohr and J. M. Housch, for sidewalks, which were approved. The official bond of John O'Connell, as patrolman, with Wm. Pratt and D. Robinson as sureties, and of Christopher Kelly, as special policeman, with C. A. Kempe and J. B. White as sureties, were received and referred to the city attorney.

The city commissioners reported the assessment of basements and damages for vacating an alley in Hanna's addition, between lots 108, 109 and 117, 118, 187 and 188; also for an alley between lots 30 and 31, 64 and 65 in the same addition; the benefits in the first case being \$20 for each lot, and in the second case at \$20 each.

ORDINANCES.

The ordinance relating to the amendment of an existing ordinance governing the sale of fresh meats on the market place, was, on its third reading, referred back to the committee on markets.

The ordinance relating to the purchase of the Olds property for reservoir purposes, on its third reading, was laid over to the next meeting for the purpose of getting Engineer Cook's expressed opinion as to the desirability of the Olds property.

The ordinance for the issuance of \$270,000 bonds for the construction of water works was read by its title, and passed to its third reading, which was amended to read \$100,000, and after a protracted discussion the ordinance was passed.

The council then took a recess until Tuesday night.

COUNCIL NOTES.

Councilman Vordermark accused Councilman Chittenden of being connected with a newspaper so long that he could not help being sensational.

Volney Parks's petition gave rise to a lengthy discussion.

The council took a recess to see the fire.

Messrs. Hettler and Vordermark indulged in some bitter cross-firing last night.

Councilman McKean knew what he was talking about when he struck engines, and wouldn't and couldn't be bulldozed by anyone.

Chittenden said he would be willing to vote for a double elliptic non-condensing duplex back action high pressure quadruple side geared syringe if the trustees recommended it.

The mayor is lumbering up his joints to tackle the bonds again.

BREVITIES.

The Universalist social meets to night.

St. Peter's fair will conclude Friday night.

The Centenary social meets to night.

Abrams, the fat pool seller, is in town.

Pools on the races are sold at the Occidental.

The races are not very largely attended.

W. H. Myers registered at the Grand Hotel, Indianapolis, on Monday.

Jay Phillips & Co. are having their room calmed.

J. S. Sheppard, advance agent of the Big Four Minstrels, is registered at the Avelline House.

There was a red hot time at the council last night.

The noted pacer Sweetser, with a record of 2:15, will pace against time at Swinney Park to-morrow.

Dr. J. W. Young is writing a medical pamphlet which will shortly be printed.

The Baptist social will meet to-morrow night.

The funeral of Mrs. Patrick Kelly took place from the Cathedral this morning. There was a large attendance.

There is an immense crowd at the Swinney trial constantly.

The celebrated Big Four Minstrels

will appear at the Academy Saturday night.

The Christian Church social will be held at the residence of J. H. Dille on South Broadway, to-morrow evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Calhoun street front of the Mayer House is highly adorned by a full-fledged picture gallery.

A chimney on fire near the corner of Clay and Lewis streets brought the department out last night and diverted the attention of the council.

The Indianapolis Journal has just found out that Harry C. Parker has been appointed agent of the Empire Line at Peoria. A careful perusal of the Fort Wayne papers would have developed the fact a month ago.

E. Hodge, of Bluffton, tried the same old game of intimidating a buzz saw in McKendry's stove factory. As his little finger and one joint of the next one dropped off on the far side of the table he remarked, "That says means buzzsaw."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Made in the City and County Since Our Last Report.

CITY.

Nell McCoshan to Mary A. Walters lot 15 Hamilton's add, \$25.

Joe Pequinot et al to P. Anderson lot 22, Hanna's add, \$1,200.

Herman Janson to Christian Lepper lot 43, Compere's add, \$1,100.

J. J. Bauer to Margaret Carrickie lots 70 and 72, Hanna's add, \$4,000.

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Henry Wenzel to Mary A. Bell lot 6, Williams' add, \$1,200.

Leonard Schaefer to Clara A. Munson lot 20 Stophlet's add, \$500.

Clara A. Munson to Barbara Schaefer lot 20 Stophlet's add, \$500.

Frederick Buckness to Catharine DeWald, lot 120 Hanna's add.

Clara H. Hager to Nicholas Herney lot 120 Hanna's add, \$1,200.

Joe Taylor to William Hignam lot 35, Chulman's add, \$400.

Margaret and P. H. Chene to Jas. Playe lot 12, 13 and 14, Hanna's add.

Christian Lepper to H. F. W. Schoppman lot 42, Compere's lot add, \$200.

C. G. Lassele to C. E. Lassele lot 173, Lassele's add, \$400.

C. E. and W. P. Page to C. E. Lassele lots 173 and 174, Lassele's add, \$200.

C. E. Lassele to C. A. Munson lots 173 and 174, Lassele's add, \$200.

T. H. Hignam to G. F. Warner lot 100, Lassele's add, \$200.

A. A. and E. B. Thurman to Adria Twelin lot 44 of original plat, and lots 47, 48, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, Hanna's add, \$7,833.75.

Jas. Playe to E. J. Bauer lot 12, R. R. add, \$5,750.

Clara Orlman, adult, et al to Jno Miller lot 50, old plat, \$3,100.

Ernest S. Moore to L. Probasen lot 6 Bracke's add, \$1,750.

L. Probasen to Wm. Groun lot 263, and 264, Hanna's add, \$750.

C. W. Smith et al to Jonathan Edwards, trustee, lot 26 old plat, lots 29 and 30 of Rockhill and Nelson's add, lots 4, 5, 6 and 7 of George's add, and lots 1 and 2, block 13 of Edwards' add, \$18,300.

Christian Schaefer to Jonathan Edwards, trustee, lots 9 and 10, Edwards' add, \$1,750.

Wm. Wenzel to Jonathan Edwards, trustee, lots 9 and 10, Edwards' add, \$1,750.

Margaret Westman to Jonathan Edwards, trustee, 5x150 ft. corner Hanover and East Wayne street, \$2,200.

E. Hignam to S. S. Thompson lot 15, White's add, \$175.

Caroline Good to Susanna Haus lots 31 and 32, Hanna's add, \$750.

N. O. to Jno. Arme, lot in Hanna's add, \$225.

Samuel S. Wells to G. T. Crossley, lot 10 Tyler's add, \$750.

MARION.

C. C. Farrell to Peter Leifer 70 acres \$2,750.

D. B. Hart to M. Brenner 160 acres \$307.

Henry Grove to E. B. Hulsman, 30 acres \$1,000.

MAURICE.

G. L. Ashley to N. C. Doctor, 133 acres \$750.

W. H. Coombs to H. Senville, 60 acres \$750.

M. H. Brunton to S. J. Silver, 20 acres \$350.

L. Lines to J. R. Batcher 22 acres \$200.

WATKIN.

Margaret Carrickie to K. J. Bauer, 50 acres \$4,000.

Ernest Schaefer to Ernest Myers, 16 acres \$1,200.

O. Frederick, M. Swart et al to Edward Bidel, 14 acres \$2,000.

C. J. Bauer to Jas. Playe, 30 acres \$4,000.

T. B. Boyer et al to M. H. Webb, 7 acres \$2,000.

WASHINGTON.

D. Sheridan to F. Bleske, 40 acres \$2,400.

P. B. Bleske to J. A. Bleske, 65 acres, \$1,600.

Mary E. Clausmeier to E. F. Clausmeier, 40 acres \$1,200.

J. F. Ross to J. W. Randall, 35 acres \$700.

SPRINGFIELD.

A. Diestel to Wm. Hagel lot 15 of Harlan \$200.

Edmet Myers to John Myers, 40 acres \$1,200.

E. B. Springer to J. Yoder, 40 acres \$2,800.

E. P. Kenyon to S. M. Kenyon, 1 acre, \$140.

J. W. Engly to J. H. Olmo, lot 11 Harlan, \$300.

J. W. Blair to B. B. Woodcock, 40 acres, \$250.

S. J. Brown to L. D. Smith, lot 22 Harlan, \$250.

S. J. McKee to M. J. Leifer, 3 acres, \$150.

M. J. Chorpene to L. A. Herlich, 30 acres, \$1,000.

ST. JOSEPH.

Wm. Langley, et al, to D. Barritt, 10 1/2 acres, \$200.

Thos. Langley to Wm. Langley, 19 acres, \$300.

Wm. Langley et al, to Thos. Langley, 12 acres, \$300.

Wm. Langley to Matilda Curver, 19 acres, \$500.

D. Barritt to Wm. Hazlett, 11 acres, \$300.

PERCY.

Henry Bowser to Francis Bowser, 20 acres, \$300.

E. Garman to W. H. Garman, 50 acres, \$1,800.

JANESVILLE.

J. W. Fitzgerald to D. D. Driver, 40 acres, \$200.

Lesso Lewis to J. A. Brown, 50 acres, \$500.

Samuel Purman to A. Iselin, 60 acres, \$1,100.

E. W. Randall to Jacob Marquardt, 80 acres, \$2,400.

MONROVILLIE.

M. J. Sweet to S. Wagner, lots 9 and 10 Englewood, \$100.

J. D. Smith et al to J. D. Nuttman, Jr., lots 12, 13 and 14 Poole's add, \$100.

Geo. Webster et al to J. D. Nuttman, lots 12, 13 and 14 Poole's add, \$100, and lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 of original plat, \$100.

W. G. Spencer to G. W. Young, lot 37 Burnham's add, \$200.

NOBLES.

R. P. Cochran to L. Baumann, 4 acres, \$300.

E. B. Schlemmer to John Sear, 13 acres, \$300.

E. B. Hart to H. I. Lovelace, one-quarter acre, \$50.

J. T. Pool administrator, to John Sear, 25 acres, \$400.

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S. L. Cotton to W. L. Pettit, 40 acres \$1,000.

W. J. Bleske et al to J. K. Bleske, 40 acres \$1,000.

W. J. Bleske to L. L. Swensen, 20 acres \$500.

W. J. Bleske to Wm. J. Bleske, 50 acres \$500.

W. Bleske to O. Bleske, 80 acres \$500.

A. Hukunard to F. Miller, 50 acres \$700.

NEW HAVEN.

Jno. Deck to A. B. Michy et al 41 acres \$1,400.

Alfred Wood to Jas. Wood 140 acres, \$150.

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J. E. Bleske to P. Chappell, 20 acres, \$200.

P. Chappell to Geo. Kell 100 acres, \$2,100.

P. Chappell to J. E. Bleske 100 acres, \$2,100.

P. F. & J. B. Bleske to A. Bleske 40 acres, \$900.

William J. McKee to Thomas L. McKee 20 acres, \$300.

A. B. Kehr to J. Gump, 30 acres, \$1,500.

CECUM.

W. Mahu to M. Bleske, 10 acres, \$300.

L. Bond to J. A. Stapleton, 65 acres, \$1,000.

E. J. Miller to W. Miller, lots 69, 70, 71 and 72 Hamilton's add, \$1,200.

ADAMS.

G. Lassele to M. A. Jones, 10 acres, \$300.

C. Schmitz to M. A. Jones, 10 acres, \$300.

H. Bowman to L. Heward, 25 acres, \$400.

T. B. Rimple to J. Miller, 20 acres, \$1,200.

G. Gumbert to Charles Gumbert, 40 acres, \$1,700.

John Denzel to M. Denzel, 155 acres, \$800.

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PLEASANT.

D. Bleske, guardian, to C. Martin Wagner, 20 acres, \$500.

E. Layton to Jno. Bradbury, 40 acres, \$900.

B. Bradbury to E. Layton, 40 acres, \$900.

SCIPPO.

M. Bledsoe to R. Bledsoe, 20 acres, \$250.

S. D. H. Daniels to E. Headley, 30 acres, \$1,000.

LAFAYETTE.

L. Lowell to M. Gaskill, 55 acres, \$500.

O. Bart to F. S. Gaskill, 40, 50, 60 acres, \$700.

H. Bowman to B. A. Stander and F. Moss, 60 acres, \$500.

E. O. Bart to W. Witzell, 20 acres, \$500.

J. H. Chappell to A. M. Keplinger, 40 acres, \$1,200.

Bell Torrance to A. M. Keplinger, 40 acres, \$1,200.

S. Kori to A. M. Keplinger, 3 acres, \$120.

W. J. Reeder to A. M. Keplinger, 40 acres, \$1,200.

A. E. Haverstock to A. M. Keplinger 34 acres \$800.

Mary Haverstock et al to A. M. Keplinger, 34 acres \$800.

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JACKSON.

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\$500 REWARD.

They cure all diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Nerves, Kidneys and Urinary Organs, and \$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help, or for anything impure or injurious found in them—HOP BITTERS. Test it! See "Truths" or "Proverbs" in another column.

Do You Believe It?

That in this town there are scores of persons pushing our store every day whose names are made up by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and Distressed Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, etc., when for reasons we will sell them Bile's Bile, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

If you are a man of business, weakened by the strain of your duties, avoid stimulants and take

HOP BITTERS.

If you are a man of letters, tolling over your midnight work, to restore brain and nerve waste, take

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If you are young and suffering from any indiscretion or dissipation, take

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Whenever you are, wherever you are, whenever you feel that your system needs cleansing, toning or stimulating, without intoxicating, take

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Have you dyspepsia, kidney or urinary complaint, disease of the stomach, bowels, blood, liver or nerves? You will be cured by Hop Bitters.

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REPORT

Of the

Public School Fund

Of Fort Wayne, Ind.

O. P. Morgan, Treasurer of the Board of School Trustees in Account With the

SPECIAL SCHOOL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

G. Driver 14th, to balance on hand	197,967 09
January 27th, to cash from county	12,351 84
June 10th,	12,351 74
Total	\$41,456 67

EXPENDITURES.

For construction	2,855 00
For improvements to grounds	1,250 00
For school furniture	1,421 70
For apparatus	45 20
For furniture and stoves	52 15
For fuel and repairs	54 28
For wells and pumps	64 58
For repairs to buildings	171 33
For gas	35 80
For supplies for school	201 16
For fuel	1,145 64
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The committee on rules, regulations and ordinances reported that the ordinance for the purchase of the Olds property was correct, also the ordinance for the issue of bonds was also correct and regular excepting a few clerical errors. Concurred in.

The committee on assessments and taxes reported in favor of deferring the passage of the resolution to exclude Hough's out-lots; against the petition of Mrs. M. T. Laury for reduction of tax on certain lots in Wood's out-lots; in favor of the petition of Rhine Caps for rebate of tax on personal property as presented by a previous petition. Concurred in.

The committee on water works reported contract and bond of Moeller & Paul, for the building of the boiler works and reported in favor of the same. Concurred in.

The special committee to investigate into the remonstrance of Volney Parks against building certain sidewalks on Lillie street recommended that further action on the same be suspended for this season. The report evoked considerable discussion but was finally concurred in.

The special committee to consider the proposition of Bass, Simons & Co., to furnish the city with pipe and power supply for the water works, reported the estimate of Engineer Cook, and recommended that the same be printed and that further action on the matter be postponed until it was so printed.

Another lengthy skirmish followed. Nobody seemed to know just exactly what was being argued. The report was concurred in.

by Councilman McKean, who presented an array of figures not very encouraging for the Holly engine, showing that by comparison it was a very poor engine. He stated the council should have time to consider the same or the council would soon find themselves the victims of a tremendous steal.

A general discussion by everyone who could get a word in was now in order, and a great deal of talking was done but not much was said. Motions, withdrawals and amendments followed each other until finally it was referred back to the trustees and engineer to make a full report and showing of the record of the Holly engine.

The trustees also presented the following communication:

Gentlemen of the Council:

We are compelled to say to you that we will not long retain the office of water works trustees unless you make the salaries, large enough to compensate us, to some extent, for the time that is required for the proper discharge of the duties. We have found the responsibilities to be great and the duties onerous. We will never consent to be placed upon the pay roll for \$150 per annum. The estimate of Mr. Cook was liberal enough to allow us compensation for all services performed. We have worked faithfully and conscientiously for the best interest of the city, and leave it to you to say whether we shall continue to carry on the work that we have begun.

Respectfully,
CHRISTIAN BOEKER,
CHARLES BOEKER,
HENRY MONNING.

Which was referred to the water works committee.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.
The city civil engineer reported to recommend the postponement of the building of sidewalks on College street. Concurred in.

Also estimates were made in favor of Christian Grafmiller, J. W. Langhor and J. M. Housch; also final estimates in favor of J. W. Langhor and Anson Krook for sidewalk, and for J. B. Beeson for sand pits; which estimates were read and allowed.

The city clerk reported a number of affidavits of Christian Grafmiller for precepts, which were granted. He also submitted the contracts and bonds of J. W. Langhor and J. M. Housch, for sidewalk, which were granted. The official bond of John O'Connell, as patrolman, with Wm. Pratt and Dr. Robinson as sureties, and of Christopher Kelly, as special policeman, with C. A. Kempe and J. B. White as sureties, were received and referred to the city attorney.

The city commissioners reported the assessment of benefits and damages for vacating an alley in Hanna's addition, between lots 108, 109 and 117, 118, 187 and 188; also for an alley between lots 30 and 31, 64 and 65 in the same addition; the benefits in the first case being \$20 for each lot, and in the second case at \$25 each.

ORDINANCES.
The ordinance relating to the amendment of an existing ordinance governing the sale of fresh meats on the market place, was, on its third reading, referred back to the committee on markets.

The ordinance relating to the purchase of the Olds property for reservoir purposes, on its third reading, was laid over to the next meeting for the purpose of getting Engineer Cook's expressed opinion as to the desirability of the Olds property.

The ordinance for the issue of \$270,000 bonds for the construction of water works was read by its title and passed to its third reading, which was amended to read \$100,000, and after a protracted discussion the ordinance was passed.

The council then took a recess until Tuesday night.

COUNCIL NOTES.
Councilman Vordermark accused Councilman Chittenden of being connected with a newspaper so long that he could not help being sensational.

Volney Parks's petition gave rise to a lengthy discussion.

The council took a recess to see the fire.

Messrs. Hettler and Vordermark indulged in some bitter cross-firing last night.

Councilman McKean knew what he was talking about when he struck engines, and wouldn't and couldn't be bulldozed by anyone.

Chittenden said he would be willing to vote for a double elliptic non-condensing duplex back action high pressure quadruple side geared syringe if the trustees recommended it.

The mayor is lumbering up his joints to tackle the bonds again.

BREVITIES.
The Universalist social meets to night.

St. Peter's fair will conclude Friday night.

The Centenary social meets to night.

Abrams, the fat pool seller, is in town.

will appear at the Academy Saturday night.

The Christian Church social will be held at the residence of J. H. Dille on South Broadway, to-morrow evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Calhoun street front of the Mayer House is highly adorned by a full-fledged picture gallery.

A chimney on fire near the corner of Clay and Lewis streets brought the department out last night and diverted the attention of the council.

The Indianapolis Journal has just found out that Harry C. Parker has been appointed agent of the Empire Line at Peoria. A careful perusal of the Fort Wayne papers would have developed the fact a month ago.

E. Hodge, of Bluffton, tried the same old game of intimidating a buzz saw in McKendry's stove factory. As his little finger and one joint of the next one dropped off on the far side of the table he remarked, "That saw means buzzness."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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CITY.
Nell McLaughlin to Mary A. Walters lot 15 Hamilton's add, \$25.
Charles Haggerty to P. Anderson lot 329, Hanna's add, \$1,500.
Herman Janson to Christian Lepper lot 43, Compere's add, \$1,400.
K. J. Bauer to Margaret Carrick lot 701 and 702, Hanna's add, \$1,000.
Margaret Carrick to Charles Cook lot 701 and 702, Hanna's add, \$1,000.
Henry Wrenfield to Mary A. Bell lot 5, Williams' Meigsburg add, \$1,200.
Charles Schaefer to Chas. A. Munson lot 20 Stophel's add, \$900.
Chas. A. Munson to Barbara Schaefer lot 20 Stophel's add, \$900.
Frederick Buckner to Catharine Reid, lot 126 Hanna's add.
Chas. Haggerty to Nicholas Herney lot 38, Hanna's add, \$500.
Jno Taylor to William Hilgman lot 68, Chas. A. Munson's add, \$1,000.
Margaret and P. H. Chene to Jas. Playfair lot 12, R. R. add, \$1,000.
Christian Lepper to H. F. W. Schoppman lot 42, Compere's add, \$200.
C. Gable to C. E. Lasselle lot 178, Lasselle add, \$40.
C. E. and W. D. Page to C. E. Lasselle lot 178 and 179 Lasselle add, \$200.
C. E. Lasselle to C. A. Munson lot 178 and 179 Lasselle add, \$200.
T. J. Huelshorn to G. F. Warner lot 100, Lasselle add, \$300.
A. A. and E. E. Purman to Adrain Iselin lot 34 of original plat, and lots 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

S. L. Cotton to W. L. Pettit, 40 acres \$1,000.
Wm. J. Rorick to L. L. Sweeney, 20 acres \$1,000.
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W. J. Rorick to C. Ehlinger, 20 acres \$1,000.
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NEW RIVER.
Jno Deck to A. B. Michy et al 44 acres \$1,400.
Wm. J. Rorick to Jas. Hood, 140 acres, \$150.
Geo. Hood to Jas. Hood, 140 acres, \$150.
J. E. Ballou to F. Chappell, 20 acres, \$200.
P. Chappell to Geo. Kell, 100 acres, \$2,700.
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P. & J. D. Hamler to A. Swauder 40 acres, \$200.
William J. McKee to Thomas L. McKee 20 acres, \$200.
B. Kohr to J. Gump, 20 acres, \$1,000.

CEDAR CREEK.
W. Mohn to M. Stover, 10 acres, \$500.
A. Bond to J. and A. Stapleton, 68 acres, \$3,000.
F. J. Miller to M. W. Miller, lots 50, 72, 74 and 75 Hamilton's add, \$1,200.

NEW HAVEN.
W. S. O'Rourke to Mary E. Foster, 2 lots, \$1,500.
F. J. and M. E. Foster, to W. S. O'Rourke 2 lots, \$1,500.

ADAMS.
C. E. Lasselle to E. A. Jones, 10 acres.
C. Schultz to M. Gumbert, 40 acres.
H. Bowman to J. Stewart, 25 acres.
T. B. Emple to J. M. Miller, 20 acres, \$1,200.
M. Gumbert to Charles Gumbert, 40 acres, \$1,200.
John Denzel to M. Denzel, 155 acres, \$600.
John Denzel to Joseph Denzel, 155 acres, \$600.

PLEASANT.
D. Buakirk, guardian, to C. Martin Wagner, 20 acres, \$1,000.
E. Levan to Jno Bradbury, 40 acres, \$600.
B. Bradbury to E. Levan, 40 acres, \$600.

SCIPPO.
M. Beckad to E. Beckad, 20 acres, \$25.
S. D. H. Daniels to E. Headley, 36 acres, \$1,000.

LAFAYETTE.
L. Lowell to M. Gaskell, 34 acres, \$500.
N. O. Bart to F. S. Gedding & Co, 35 acres, \$700.
H. Bowman to S. A. Stauder and F. Moom, 60,000 lot to W. Witzgal, 20 acres, \$500.
J. H. Chupp to A. M. Keplinger, 34 acres, \$1,000.
Bell Torrance to A. M. Keplinger, 40 acres, \$1,000.
S. Kert to A. M. Keplinger, 3 acres, \$125.
J. J. Reeder to A. M. Keplinger, 40 acres \$42.
A. F. Haverstock to A. M. Keplinger 34 acres \$80.
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L. Lowell to Thos. McCoy, 40 acres \$500.

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Jas. Kramer to Mary Ann Yoquier, 50 acres \$700.

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Whoever you are, whenever you are when ever you feel that your system needs cleansing, toning or stimulating, take
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Have you dyspepsia, kidney or urinary complaint, disease of the stomach, bowels, liver, or nerves? You will be cured if you take
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If you are simply ailing, are weak and low spirited, try it. Buy it. Insist upon it. Your druggist keeps it.
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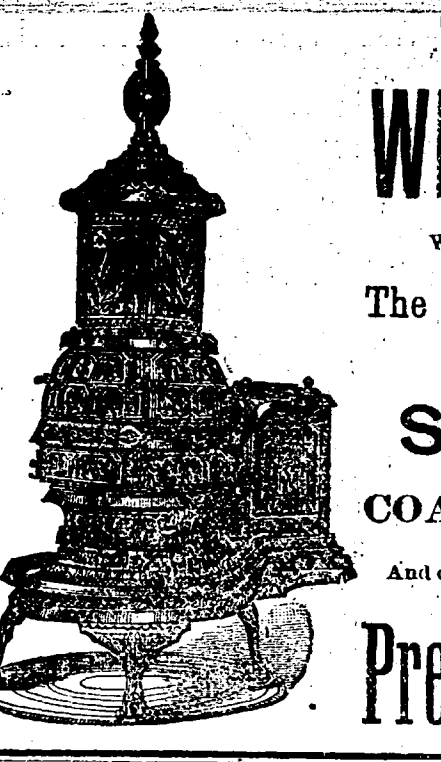
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THE CITY.

Dan Benninghoff is married, much.

The paper mill will commence operations again to-night.

The Spangler-Gebhard wedding reception three miles southwest of this city last night was a gorgeous affair.

W. J. Craig was in the city to-day on his return from Mansfield, O., where he left his family for a month's visit with his parents.

Henry Colerick perpetrated the "ludicrous" gag on one of the witnesses in the Swayne case this morning. A mob is "laying" for him.

Barnard Baumbarger did not go to jail from police court yesterday morning. When he found that he must go he discovered the missing \$38 and paid his fine.

The marriage of Miss Blanche Williams, daughter of Hon. William Williams, of Warsaw, to Dr. Davidson, of that place, took place yesterday afternoon. A letter from the SENTINEL's Warsaw correspondent giving full particulars, is necessarily laid over until to-morrow.

The Gazette of this morning makes a desperate attempt to whitewash Ed Phillips' affair at Casso's saloon on Monday night by saying that the city papers were mistaken in their statement, and endeavor to shift the matter on the shoulders of one Charles Phillips. Were it not for the fact that Ed Phillips personally and in his own flesh and body displayed a very much cut up scalp with several stitches in it to a SENTINEL reporter last evening and that the officer who saw part of the affair and the verdict of the other witnesses as well as the acknowledgment of Ed Phillips himself, the whitewash might be swallowed but as it is the Gazette's course is unexplainable.

The Washash Ball.

One of the pleasantest balls ever given in this city took place last evening at Arion Hall under the management of the jolly boys of the Washash shops. The attendance was large but select, and the affair was a success in every respect. The floor managers—T. R. Barrett, J. T. Spangler, Sam Sauer, Ed Phillips and R. Falconer, showed themselves to be the right men in the right place.

Marriage Licenses.

John G. Griebel and Flora Klein, Anthony Zimmerman and Mary Chas. Meyer.

Matthias Spitzler and Sophia Glibhart, Daniel Benninghoff and Maggie Glibhart, Henry Zornmuller and Louisa Heinen.

SHEEHY'S SLAYER.

The Swayne Murder Trial Increasing in Interest.

Damaging Evidence by Rose Overly and Rebecca Weist.

The Defense Threaten to Show a Damnable Conspiracy.

Also that Rose Overly Murdered Sheehy and Young Lingle Saw Her.

And That Jacob Weist Since That put Lingle out of the Way.

Emma Zinck was on the witness stand in the Swayne murder trial when our report of yesterday's proceedings concluded. She continued:

After her husband had left her at Lafayette she returned to this city and did washing for two years; during all this time she did no work for any young man.

On cross-examination she grew excited and refused to relate circumstances in regard to her mother's life, after which refusal she broke down completely and gave way to a flood of tears. A lively scene occurred between the counsel, where at the judge stated that if it was again repeated he should fine and imprison the offenders.

REBECCA WEIST'S EVIDENCE.

As the witness still continued her sobs and cries she was temporarily excused and Rebecca Weist was called who testified: I live three miles west of Fort Wayne; my name before marriage was Fuller; my mother is living, southeast of Fort Wayne in Pleasant township; I was at the fair ground on the 4th of July last; my husband was at home in the evening, as he left me in the afternoon; John Sheehy came to me at the dance stand in the evening; saw John Swayne there before Sheehy arrived; Sheehy wished me to go to the woods but I refused to go; we went as far as the first trees when Rose Overly, Emma Zinck and Jack Swayne came to us; I do not know how long we remained there; we all went home together; I last saw him standing there by the tree; did not see him lying on the ground; on our way out of the fair grounds Mr. Swayne said he must have stabbed that man pretty deep for there was blood on his hand; he showed me the knife, a white handled one; did not see Swayne have anything in his hand when standing by Sheehy; said all night at Rose Richards'; Swayne went as far as the gate with us, and do not know where he went thereafter; Emma Zinck climbed into the window and opened the door; Jack Swayne came to the house the next morning between 8 and 9 o'clock; Swayne called on Emma Zinck who called out the rest of us; do not know whether Hale Overly was there or not; Swayne said the girls had better go home with me; Swayne left and we went into the house; we went to the street cars where I left the girls and went across the river; the girls met me later and went to my house; Jack Swayne came to my house about 2 o'clock and remained about two hours; did not speak to him when he arrived; had no conversation with him, nor did I hear any conversation between him and others; saw Swayne, my husband and the girls sitting under the apple tree; think I saw Swayne jump over a fence; was in the house when he left; do not know when he left; was scrubbing at the time; Emma Zinck came into the house and asked for a drink of water.

Cross-examined.—I have lived in this town nineteen years; am living with my man at our home; was in the jail about a week, confined in the same cell with Rose Overly and Emma Zinck; never stayed at Rose Richards'; live three miles from town; have known Emma Zinck during the summer; was bailed out of jail about July 13, 1879; after getting out of jail returned frequently to see Emma Zinck and Rose Overly; don't know how often I made visits to the jail; was allowed to enter the jail without an order from the sheriff.

The defense asked if she had been watched by the jailor or sheriff. [Objection by the prosecution.]

The defense stated their intention of proving by these questions that a conspiracy had been formed between the witness and Rose Overly and Emma Zinck to shield Rose Overly, who was the real killer of Sheehy, and to shift the responsibility onto Swayne. [Objection overruled.]

Witness resumed: Sometimes the turnkey remained with us and sometimes he did not; stayed at different times from half an hour to two hours; never spoke with the girls about the trial. [Colerick here asked if she did not mean "hardly ever" at which everybody groaned.] Went there to see my sister-in-law; talked about the fashions, but never in regard to this case; knew her sister-in-law was indicted; went to see her because I did washing for her, and stayed because I was tired; never stayed there four hours; was bailed out by my husband; he owns no property; stayed at Rose Richards' one night; my stomach did not turn at the dance on the Fourth; danced first with M. Bover; drank one or two glasses of beer on that afternoon; was not in the habit of drinking beer; didn't drink any whiskey, gin or other intoxicating liquors; I did not drink any beer with anyone but my husband; drank a glass of champagne with a stranger; I know Andrew Lingle; did not see him on that day; met Sheehy at the side of the platform; Sheehy took hold of

my hand and pulled me to the woods; I did not faint; don't know how far he pulled me; of course I pulled him back, but I didn't yell; was sober at the time; Emma Zinck was vomiting at the time; Rose Overly fainted during the afternoon; there was a crowd around at the time, but I didn't wish to mix any fuss; he did not pull me off my feet; he pulled me about four minutes, and in that time he pulled me some distance; I did not know Sheehy at the time; I said that there comes my sister-in-law, and you had better let me go; at this he put his arm around me; at the time I was about as angry as I am now. [In answer to a question by the court]—It was about half way between the platform and the gate that Swayne showed me the knife.

A long discussion arose in regard to an objection to the question "Who spoke first after you left the woods?" The court took the case under advisement till morning and adjourned the court, after giving instructions that the jury be kept together.

MORNING SESSION.

The court was called at 9 o'clock this morning, with the usual crowd in attendance.

REBECCA WEIST'S EVIDENCE.

Arguments were resumed in regard to the cross-examination of Rebecca Weist. The objections entered last evening were finally overruled by the court, but counsel for the defense waived the right thus conferred.

The cross-examination of Mrs. Weist was resumed: I spent last night at home; did not talk with anyone but my husband about the case; went to Mr. Hench's office this morning for the purpose of getting an explanation of some questions which were asked me yesterday; did not understand Mr. Hench's explanation; can not tell what it was; I wished to have explained, but think it was about how far it was that Sheehy pulled me; walked around with my husband this morning, who told me where Mr. Hench's office was.

The question was asked whether Andrew Lingle was drowned before or after Sheehy was killed, to which the prosecution objected.

Walpole Colerick stated that they proposed to prove that Jacob Weist had drowned Lingle because he had seen Rose Overly kill John Sheehy, and that he was put out of the way, and this damnable conspiracy formed to convict Swayne in order to shield Rose Overly. [Sensation.]

The objection was sustained and exceptions taken by the defense.

Cross-examination—I talked with Prosecutor Hench this morning; he told me to tell the truth and I left.

An objection was here entered and the attorneys' had to be reprimanded by the court for indulging in some little personal recriminations.

Cross-examination was resumed: I thought you meant yesterday when you asked me whether I had talked about the case with Rose Overly; that you wanted to ask if Rose Overly had been posting me; I thought you wanted to insult me; I did not drink beer with a colored man named Ben Blake on the 4th of July; I don't associate with that kind of people; we do not drink on that evening; do not know Leonard Bha; did not drink or dance with him; didn't take a "schooner" of beer with him, but this mixing of drinks didn't make me sick; did not dance with either Jacob or Michael Hanning;

I only danced with two boys former, neighbors of mine; my husband was not with me; was walking around from dusk till Sheehy came up; at the time Rose Overly was out in the woods vomiting; did not leave the stand with any man till Sheehy came up; The came up about the same time but did not speak to me of any man; saw Bha at my house on the 5th of July; cannot give any description of the personal appearance of Bha; I saw him in after we had gone to bed; did not see him on the afternoon of the 5th; live on the Yellow River road which runs west to Mr. Fehling's; about three miles from town; left town on the 5th, a little before 11 o'clock, and got home about 2 o'clock; saw him first sitting on an old chest at the east end of the house with Rose Overly and Emma Zinck standing beside him; at the time I saw him I was in the path running at the east of the house; did not speak with him as I passed, but spoke to him when he was under the apple tree; was taken with cramps in my stomach, and left them; Swayne was lying on his belly, and the girls were cutting up; didn't hear anything that was said; was taken sick after putting on a clean dress, and went into the house and went to bed; do not know when Swayne left, but the girls came in about 4 o'clock; the four of us left the fair ground together on the night of the 4th, but did not enter any saloon on our way home. Think we went as far as Broadway, and went down that street as far as the canal, which we crossed, and then we walked down the heel path as far as Rose Richards' house, where Emma Zinck climbed in the window and opened the door; Jack Swayne and Rose Overly stood at the gate talking, at the time.

Re-direct examination.—We had no time piece at Rose Richards' house; washed for Emma Zinck and Rose Overly while they were at the jail; was held to bail as a witness; do not know how far it was from the gate to the place where we left Sheehy; was not requested by you (Hench) to call at your office this morning.

Emma Zinck smoked a cigar on the evening of the 4th; when Bha arrived at my house on the evening of the 5th, Rose Overly was at the house with us; was brought to town with the others on that night; did not see Swayne leave that day, nor did I see him or hear him talk after I was taken sick.

EMMA ZINCK RECALLED.

Emma Zinck was then recalled and the cross-examination was resumed: The last place I testified to having lived was on Hanna street; knew a woman by the name of Snyder at that time; I did not become intimate with her till after I left my mother's house; my husband and I began keeping

house again after having been separated a year; shortly after he went away to work, but soon returned, and we lived on Smith street; then I went to my mother's on Lafayette street; do not know where I went after that, but think I went to live with Mrs. Stonebaker after my husband and I had separated; paid no board for the two months I was there; my husband and I again made up and moved to Montgomery street; after leaving there I went to live with Mrs. Snyder, who was arrested for killing her child. [The defense here objected to this manner of cross-examination, whereat the defense said they wished to show the character of the witness from her association with well-known violators of the law. During the arguments in relation to this point the court allowed members of the jury to retire for a few minutes under the charge of a bailiff. The objection was finally overruled and the cross-examination was resumed.] Was not living at Mrs. Snyder's when Snyder and a gambler had a fight; did not tell Mr. Snyder that his wife was living in adultery with Brown, the gambler; never stated at Mrs. Snyder's when Mr. Snyder was there; was arrested by the policeman called "Big George" together with Henry Brown, Mrs. Snyder and Joe Christy, again went to keeping house with my husband, but shortly afterwards my husband went away to work, and Rose Overly and I lived together during the winter; did not take in washing, sewing or painting; don't know as the place was a house of prostitution, but suppose it was; went to Lafayette and thence to Chicago, where I lived with Mrs. Thomas on Michigan street; do not know what her business was, as I never asked her; in lived the house was occupied by Rose Richards; know Mary Gilmore but do not know as she was a sporting woman; did not keep a house of prostitution; then I went to keeping house in Huffman's lumber yard with my husband, but left him soon after; was at one time "pulled" from Lew Clark's house by the police; went to the fair grounds on the 4th of July; I suppose Hale Overly is a girl, for she looks like one; I began drinking beer soon after my arrival there; did not get intoxicated; suppose I drank four or five glasses; do not think I was poisoned on that day or I should not have been here; Rose Overly fainted, and gave as a reason that she had been hit by a swing; she did not drink any beer after that; did not talk with Lew Clark; he did not tell us to behave ourselves or leave the stand; was taken sick about dark from smoking a cigar and vomited for half an hour; did not have a row with any of the boys because of their throwing lemonade in her face to bring her to; did not hear Rose Overly say that she would cut the heart out of the S— of a B— that threw that in her face; this was about 5 o'clock; the smoking of the cigar made me so drowsy sick that I couldn't stand on my feet; was not staggering around with a cigar in my mouth and indulging in vile language; the tree against which I leaned when vomiting was about 150 feet from the stand; threw it up before I left; do not know who it was held my head when vomiting; this party went out with me when I was taken sick; he was dressed in dark clothes I think, but didn't examine them; of course I looked at his hat, and know it was a hat for it wasn't a bunnet; cannot tell whether he had on boots or shoes for I did not pull up his breeches to see; I went back to the platform, after I had been vomiting; saw Swayne there in the evening, when I was sitting on a bench by the platform; when I came to, I was sitting on this bench and Swayne had hold of my hand; do not know whether I danced with Sheehy during the afternoon, as I did not know him; saw Sheehy and Rebecca Weist when we went to hunt for them, which was the first time I had seen them; was sober at the time.

The judge here asked if the stand was at the old place, which caused considerable merriment in court.

The place where I first saw Rebecca Weist and Sheehy was about ten feet from the stand; have known Rose Overly about two years; was arrested with her and confined in the same room at the jail; we talked about the case last night, about my husband in court; Rose Overly did not tell me what to say to day, for I told her I would tell the truth and nothing more; she did not tell me to keep cool or they would catch me; have been to Jake Weist's twice; saw Jack Swayne at Weist's on the 5th of July; I think he came a little after 2 o'clock; he left at 4 o'clock by Jake Weist's watch.

Re-direct examination.—Am twenty-six years old.

Re-cross examination.—I left the fair grounds by the wagon gate at 9 o'clock and came east on Washington to Broadway, and went on that street to Main street, from which we went to Rose Richards' house.

Re-direct.—Mrs. Snyder has no relation to myself or husband; did keep a bad house on Barr street in company with Rose Overly; have no feeling of malice or prejudice against Swayne; have never had any quarrel with him; drank the beer on the 4th before I was sick; did not indulge in any after; it was not Jack Swayne that held my head when I was ill; recognized Mr. Gorman's son there when I recovered. Mr. Thomas, the husband of the woman for whom I worked in Chicago was a clerk in a hardware store.

JOHN C. HAMILTON'S TESTIMONY.

I have lived here since 1873; am a married man; was at the fair ground on the 4th of July; saw Mrs. Richards there on that day.

Court was then adjourned till 1.30 p.m.

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WATER WORKS.

The Propositions of Messrs. Bass, Simons & Co.

What J. D. Cook Reports Concerning Them.

The following is the proposition of Bass, Simons & Co., as submitted to the special committee, and by them reported to the council last night:

To Messrs. F. Muller, chairman, and J. D. Cook, Secy. We beg leave to submit to your committee and the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, the following proposition relative to the construction of water works:

1. We will furnish all the water needed for the use of the city & pipes supply, furnish the city with 4,000,000 gallons of water per day, at the rate of \$1.00 per 100,000 gallons, (such employees to be completely under the control of the property owners as though they were appointed by the city) and light required at the pumping house; furnish the power and do the pumping, whether from wells, water or steam power; whether by water or steam power, or whether into a reservoir, stand-pipe, or the mounds of the city, or whether by any other means, the city shall furnish all the following: (a) The shaft, pump, and put in place the necessary water works and pumps, and apply the water from the canal, for the use of the city, for the purpose of supplying the city with water (which will not cost over \$50,000) and also furnish and place in the pumping house in its proper position for pumping, the engine, boiler, and pumps and fixtures, complete, of sufficient capacity for the reserve, with a 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THE CITY.

Dan Benninghoff is married, much.

The paper mill will commence operations again to-night.

The Spangler-Goldard wedding reception three miles southwest of the city last night was a gorgeous affair.

W. J. Craig was in the city to-day on his return from Mansfield, O., where he left his family for a month's visit with his parents.

Henry Colerick perpetrated the "hardly ever" gag on one of the witnesses in the Swayne case this morning. A mob is "laying" for him.

Bernhard Baumburger did not go to jail from police court yesterday morning. When he found that he must go he discovered the missing \$23 and paid his fine.

The marriage of Miss Blanche Williams, daughter of Hon. William Williams, of Warsaw, to Dr. Davidson, of that place, took place yesterday afternoon. A letter from the SENTINEL'S Warsaw correspondent giving full particulars, is necessarily laid over until to-morrow.

The Gazette of this morning makes a desperate attempt to whitewash Ed Phillips' affair at Casso's saloon on Monday night by saying that the city papers were mistaken in their statement, and endeavors to shift the matter on the shoulders of one Charles Phillips. Were it not for the fact that Ed Phillips personally and in his own flesh and body displayed a very much cut up scalp with several stitches in it to a SENTINEL reporter last evening and that the officer who saw part of the affair and the verdict of the other witnesses as well as the acknowledgment of Ed Phillips himself, the whitewash might be swallowed but, as it is the Gazette's course is unexplainable.

The Wash Ball.

One of the pleasantest balls ever given in this city took place last evening at Arion Hall under the management of the jolly boys of the Wash Ball. The attendance was large but select, and the affair was a success in every respect. The floor managers—T. R. Barrett, J. T. Snodgrass, Sam Sowers, Ed Phillips and H. Falconer, showed themselves to be the right men in the right place.

Marriage Licenses.

John G. Grubel and Flora Kischel, Anthony Zimmerman and Mary Clausmeyer.

Mathias Spinley and Sophia Gilphart, Daniel Benninghoff and Maggie Grisel, Henry Zurnuehler and Louisa Heinen.

SHEEHY'S SLAYER.

The Swayne Murder Trial Increasing in Interest.

Damaging Evidence by Rose Overly and Rebecca Weist.

The Defense Threaten to Show a Damnable Conspiracy.

Also that Rose Overly Murdered Sheehy and Young Lingle Saw Her.

And That Jacob Weist Since That put Lingle out of the Way.

Emma Zinck was on the witness stand in the Swayne murder trial when our report of yesterday's proceedings concluded. She continued:

After her husband had left her at Lafayette she returned to this city and did washing for two years; during all this time she did not work for any young man.

On cross-examination she grew excited and refused to relate circumstances in regard to her mother's life, after which refusal she broke down completely and gave way to a flood of tears. A lively scene occurred between the counsel, where the judge stated that if it was again repeated he should fine and imprison the offenders.

REBECCA WEIST'S EVIDENCE.

As the witness still continued her sobs and cries she was temporarily excused and Rebecca Weist was called who testified: I live three miles west of Fort Wayne; my name before marriage was Fuller; my mother is living; my husband has a brother living southeast of Fort Wayne in Pleasant township; I was at the fair ground on the 4th of July last; my husband was at home in the evening; John Sheehy came to me at the dance stand in the evening; saw John Swayne there before Sheehy arrived; Sheehy wished me to go to the woods but I refused to go; we went as far as the first trees when Rose Overly, Emma Zinck and Jack Swayne came to us; I do not know how long we remained there, we all went home together; I last saw him standing there by the tree; did not see him lying on the ground; on our way out of the fair grounds Mr. Swayne said he must have stabbed that man pretty deep for there was blood on his hand; he showed me the knife, a white handled one; did not see Swayne have anything in his hand when standing by Sheehy; staid all night at Rose Richards's; Swayne went as far as the gate with us, and do not know where he went thereafter; Em Zinck climbed into the window and opened the door; Jack Swayne came to the house the next morning between 8 and 9 o'clock; Swayne called out Em Zinck who called out the rest of us; do not know whether Hale Overly was there or not; Swayne said the girls had better go home with me; Swayne left and we went into the house; we went to the street cars where I left the girls and went across the river; the girls met me later and went to my house; Jack Swayne came to my house about 2 o'clock and remained about two hours; did not speak to him when he arrived; had no conversation with him, nor did I hear any conversation between him and others; saw Swayne, my husband and the girls sitting under the apple tree; think I saw Swayne jump over a fence; was in the house when he left; do not know when he left; was scrubbing at the time; Emma Zinck came into the house and asked for a drink of water.

Cross-examined—I have lived in this town nineteen years; am living with my man at our home; was in the jail about a week, confined in the same cell with Rose Overly and Emma Zinck; never stayed at Rose Richards; live three miles from town; have known Em Zinck during the summer; have known Rose Overly about nine years; was bailed out of jail about July 13, 1879; after getting out of jail returned frequently to see Em Zinck and Rose Overly; don't know how often I made visits to the jail; was allowed to enter the jail without an order from the sheriff.

The defense asked if she had been watched by the jailor or sheriff. [Objection by the prosecution.]

The defense stated their intention of proving that there was a conspiracy had been formed between the witness and Rose Overly and Em Zinck to shield Rose Overly, who was the real killer of Sheehy, and to shift the responsibility onto Swayne. [Objection overruled.]

Witness resumed: Sometimes the turnkey remained with us and sometimes he did not; stayed at different times from half an hour to two hours; never spoke with the girls about the trial. [Colerick here asked if she did not mean "hardly ever," at which everybody groaned.] Went there to see my sister-in-law; talked about the fashions, but never in regard to this case; knew her sister-in-law was indicted; went to see her because I did washing for her, and stayed because I was tired; never stayed there four hours; was bailed out by my husband; he owns no property; stayed at Rose Richards's one night; my stomach did not turn at the dance on the Fourth; danced first with Mr. Bowser; drank one or two glasses of beer on that afternoon; was not in the habit of drinking beer; didn't drink any whisky, gin or other intoxicating liquors; I did not drink any beer with anyone but my husband; drank a glass of lemonade with a stranger; I know Andrew Lingle; did not see him on that day; met Sheehy at the side of the platform; Sheehy took hold of

my hand and pulled me to the woods; I did not faint; don't know how far he pulled me; of course I pulled him back, but I didn't yell; was sober at the time; Emma Zinck was vomiting at the time; Rose Overly fainted during the afternoon; there was a crowd around at the time; but I didn't wish to raise any fuss; he did not pull me off my feet; he pulled me about four minutes, and in that time he pulled me some distance; I did not know Sheehy at the time; I said that there comes my sister-in-law, and you had better let me go; at the time I was about as angry as I am now. [In answer to a question by the court:] It was about half way between the platform and the gate that Swayne showed me the knife.

A long discussion arose in regard to an objection to the question "Who spoke after you left the woods?" The court took the case under advisement till morning and adjourned the court, after giving instructions that the jury be kept together.

MORNING SESSION.

The court was called at 9 o'clock this morning, with the usual crowd in attendance.

REBECCA WEIST'S EVIDENCE.

Arguments were resumed in regard to the cross-examination of Rebecca Weist. The objections entered last evening were finally overruled by the court, but counsel for the defense waived the right thus conferred.

The cross-examination of Mrs. Weist was resumed: I spent last night at home; did not talk with any one but my husband about the case; went to Mr. Hench's office this morning for the purpose of getting an explanation of some questions which were asked me yesterday; did not understand Mr. Hench's explanation; can not tell what it was; I wished to have explained, but think it was about how far it was that Sheehy pulled me; walked around with my husband this morning, who told me where Mr. Hench's office was.

The question was asked whether Andrew Lingle was drowned before or after Sheehy was killed, to which the prosecution objected.

Walpole Colerick stated that they proposed to prove that Jacob Weist had drowned Lingle because he had seen Rose Overly kill John Sheehy, and that he was put out of the way, and this damnable conspiracy formed to convict Swayne in order to shield Rose Overly. [Sensation.]

The objection was sustained and exceptions taken by the defense.

Cross-examination—I talked with Prosecutor Hench this morning; he told me to tell the truth and I left.

An objection was here entered and the attorneys had to be reprimanded by the court for indulging in some little personal recriminations.

Cross-examination was resumed: I thought you meant yesterday when you asked me whether I had talked about the case with Rose Overly; that you wanted to ask if Rose Overly had been posting me; I thought you wanted to insult me; I did not drink beer with a colored man named Ben Blake on the 4th of July; I don't associate with that kind of people; was not drunk on that evening; do not know Leonard Iba; did not drink or dance with him; didn't take a "second" of beer with him, but this mixing of drinks didn't make me sick; did not dance with either Jacob or Michael Hunting; I only danced with two boys former, neighbors of mine; my husband was not with me; was walking around from dusk till Sheehy came up; at the time Rose Overly was out in the woods vomiting; did not leave the stand with any man; till Sheehy came up; Iba came up about the same time but did not speak to me of any man; saw Iba at my house on the 5th of July; cannot give any description of the personal appearance of Iba; Iba came in after we had gone to bed; did not see him on the afternoon of the 5th; live on the Yellow River road which runs west to Mr. Fahlsing's; about three miles from town; left town on the 5th, a little before 11 o'clock; got home about 2 o'clock; saw him first sitting on an old chest at the east end of the house with Rose Overly and Emma Zinck standing beside him; at the time I saw him I was in the path running at the east of the house; did not speak with him as I passed, but spoke to him when he was under the apple tree; was taken with cramps in the stomach, and left him; Swayne was lying on his belly, and the girls were cutting up; didn't hear anything that was said; was taken sick after putting on a clean dress, and went into the house and went to bed; do not know when Swayne left, but the girls came in about 4 o'clock; the four of us left the fair ground together on the night of the 4th, but did not enter any saloon on our way home. Think we went as far as Broadway, and went down that street as far as the canal, which we crossed, and then we walked down the heel path as far as Rose Richards' house, where Em Zinck climbed in the window and opened the door; Jack Swayne and Rose Overly stood at the gate talking, at the time.

Re-direct examination—We had no time piece at Rose Richards' house; washed for Emma Zinck and Rose Overly while they were at the jail; was held to bail as a witness; do not know how far it was from the gate to the place where we left Sheehy; was not requested by you (Hench) to call at your office this morning.

Emma Zinck smoked a cigar on the evening of the 4th; when Iba arrived at my house on the evening of the 5th, Rose Overly was at the house with us; was brought to town with the others on that night; did not see Swayne leave that day, nor did not see him or hear him talk after I was taken sick.

EMMA ZINCK RECALLED.

Emma Zinck was then recalled and the cross-examination was resumed—

The last place I testified to having lived was on Hanna street; knew a woman by the name of Snyder at that time; I did not become intimate with her till after I left my mother's house; my husband and I began talking

house again after having been separated a year; after I left my mother's house, but I didn't return, and we lived on Smith street; then I went to my mother's on Lafayette street; do not know where I went after that, but think I went to live with Mrs. Stonebrook after my husband and I had separated; paid no board for the two months I was there; my husband and I again made up and moved to Montgomery street; after leaving there I went to live with Mrs. Snyder, who was arrested for killing her child. [The defense here objected to this manner of cross-examination, where the defense said they wished to show the character of the witness from her association with well-known violators of the law. During the arguments in relation to this point the court allowed members of the jury to retire for a few minutes under the charge of a bailiff. The objection was finally overruled and the cross-examination was resumed.] Was not living at Mrs. Snyder's when Snyder and a gambler had a fight; did not tell Mr. Snyder that his wife was living in adultery with Brown, the gambler; never staid at Mrs. Snyder's when Mr. Snyder was there; was arrested by the policeman called "Big George" together with Henry Brown, Mrs. Snyder and Joe Christy; again went to keeping house with my husband, but shortly afterwards my husband went away to work, and Rose Overly and I lived together during the winter; did not take in washing, sewing or painting; don't know the place was a house of prostitution, but suppose it was; went to Lafayette and then to Chicago, where I lived with Mr. Thomas on Michigan street; do not know what her business was, as I never asked her; in lived the house now occupied by Rose Richards; know Mary Gilmore but do not know as she was a sporting woman; did not keep a house of prostitution; then I went to keeping house in Huffman's lumber yard with my husband, but left him soon after; was at one time "pulled" from Lew Clark's house by the police; went to the fair grounds on the 4th of July; I suppose Hale Overly is a girl, for she looks like one; I began drinking beer soon after my arrival there; did not get intoxicated; suppose I drank four or five glasses; do not think I was poisoned on that day or I should not have been here; Rose Overly fainted, and gave as a reason that she had been hit by a swing; she did not drink any beer after that; did not talk with Lew Clark; he did not tell us to behave ourselves or leave the stand; was taken sick about 2 o'clock, after snacking a cigar and vomiting for half an hour; did not have a row with any of the boys because of their throwing lemonade in her face to bring her to; did not hear Rose Overly say that she would cut the heart out of the s—n of a b—h that threw that in her face; this was about 5 o'clock; the smoking of the cigar made me so dently sick that I couldn't stand on my feet; was not staggering around with a cigar in my mouth and indulging in vile language; the tree against which I leaned when vomiting was about 150 feet from the stand; I fell all up before I left; do not know who it was held my head when vomiting; this party went out with me when I was taken sick; he was dressed in dark clothes I think, but didn't examine them; of course I looked at his hat, and know it was a hat for it wasn't a bonnet; cannot tell whether he had on boots or shoes for I did not pull up his breeches to see; I went back to the platform, after I had been vomiting; saw Swayne there in the evening, when I was sitting on a bench by the platform; when I came to, I was sitting on this bench and Swayne had hold of my hand; do not know whether I danced with Sheehy during the afternoon, as I did not know him; saw Sheehy and Rebecca Weist when we went to hunt for them, which was the first time I had seen them; was sober at the time.

The judge here asked if the stand was at the old place, which caused considerable merriment in court.

The place where I first saw Rebecca Weist and Sheehy was about ten feet from the stand; have known Rose Overly about two years; was arrested with her and confined in the same room at the jail; we talked about the case last night, about my husband in court; Rose Overly did not tell me what to say to day, for I told her I would tell the truth and nothing more; she did not tell me to keep cool or they would catch me; have been to Jake Weist's twice; saw Jack Swayne at Weist's on the 5th of July; I think he came a little after 2 o'clock; he left at 4 o'clock by Jake Weist's watch.

Re-direct examination—Am twenty-six years old.

Re-cross examination—I left the fair grounds by the wagon gate at 9 o'clock; went east and came east to Broadway, and went on that street to Main street, from which we went to Rose Richards' house.

Re-direct—Mrs. Snyder was no relation to myself or husband; did keep a bad house on Barr street in company with Rose Overly; have no feeling of malice or prejudice against Swayne; have never had any quarrel with him; drank the beer on the 4th before I was sick; did not indulge in any after; it was not Jack Swayne that held my head when I was ill; recognized Mr. Gorman's son there when I recovered. Mr. Thomas, the husband of the woman for whom I worked in Chicago was a clerk in a hardware store.

JOHN C. HAMILTON'S TESTIMONY.

I have lived here since 1873; am a married man; was at the fair ground on the 4th of July; saw Mrs. Richards there on that day.

Court was then adjourned till 1.30 p.m.

Extra named Hyacinths, all colors, per dozen, \$2.25.

Unnamed, do, \$1.25.

Fine Tulips, all colors, 50c.

E. J. MARKLEY.

101st Corner Ewing and Jefferson streets.

Go to Joe Clark's for your nobby Overcoats. He keeps the best line of goods to be found in the city. 10,27,3

WATER WORKS.

The Propositions of Messrs. Bass, Simons & Co.

What J. D. Cook Reports Concerning Them.

The following is the proposition of Bass, Simons & Co., as submitted to the special committee, and by them reported to the council last night:

To CHAS. F. MUEHLER, chairman, etc., DEAR SIR: We beg leave to submit to your committee and the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, the following propositions relative to the construction of water works:

We will furnish all the water needed for the city of Fort Wayne, and pay all the employees necessary to do the pumping—such employees to be appointed under the control of the proper city officers as though they were appointed and paid by the city; furnish all the machinery, fuel and labor required at the pumping house; furnish the power and do the pumping, whether from wells, rivers, or from canal feeders; whether by canal or by steam power; whether into a reservoir, stand-pipe, or the mains direct. The city to furnish for that purpose the following: to wit: She shall furnish and put in place the necessary water wheels and pumps, and apply the water from the canal feeder to them ready for operation, which will not cost over \$10,000; and also furnish and place in the pumping house its proper position for pumping, its proper fuel, and also furnish and place in the pumping house a complete, sufficient capacity for a reservoir with a surplus of 100,000 gallons; Joe Miller, below Hamilton's mill, there to receive in size to furnish water in possible contingencies; to be paid for at the rate of 10 cents per gallon, payable quarterly, until the average daily consumption of water for the city shall be 3,000,000 gallons; and will contract to put in the above described pumping machinery for \$25,000.

We will furnish from the canal feeder, which will point as the city designate, all the water required to supply the city and operate the works for \$300 annually, making a deduction at the rate of \$3,000 annually for any failure to supply water for the purposes above stated.

We will enter into a contract with the city of Fort Wayne, to be either of the above propositions, or any modification of either of them that may be agreed upon, and give guarantees for the performance of that contract that shall be satisfactory to the city.

We propose to reduce the amount first named in proportion to the ratio of decrease in the cost of pumping steam for amounts less than 3,000,000 gallons per day; as per tabular comparisons made by J. D. Cook.

Respectfully submitted,

BASS, SIMONS & CO.

The following is the full text of Mr.

J. D. Cook's report on the above proposition:

Mr. Charles F. Muhler, Chairman Special Committee, etc.,

DEAR SIR: The proposition of Messrs. Bass, Simons & Co., to furnish the power to operate the pumping machinery for your proposed water works and water supply, has been referred to me for my attention. I respectfully submit the following report:

1st. To furnish all the water, both for pumping and for pipe supply, together with fuel and labor, and also the machinery, necessary to operate the pumping works, for the sum of \$500,000 per annum, until the daily consumption reaches 3,000,000 gallons of water, or a proportionate reduction for a smaller daily consumption.

2d. To furnish all the water power and supply only, with similar deductions as above, for the sum of \$300,000 per annum.

3d. To furnish pipe supply, without deduction as above, for the sum of \$100,000 per annum.

With a full desire to avoid any and all deductions for reduced consumption, the above propositions are identical as to deductions for reduced consumption.

It is to be noted that this is necessarily characterized by some uncertain factors, and I really regret that the above figures are not more in the nature of a definite statement.

Whether the rate of \$100,000 per annum for pipe supply is intended to be constant for all quantities at and below the maximum pumping of 3,000,000 gallons daily, and also whether this amount is to be increased or not, is a question of different proportions as the value of water supply.

The several propositions may be construed to mean as follows:

For furnishing water power to pump 3,000,000 gallons per day.....\$500,000

For furnishing water for pipe supply.....1,500,000

Feeder and other current expenses.....2,000,000

Total as per 1st proposition \$3,000,000

Total as per 2nd proposition \$2,500,000

Total as per 3rd proposition \$1,500,000

The third proposition, \$1,500,000 for pipe supply, leaving \$2,500,000 for fuel, labor, and machinery, and \$2,000,000 for current expenses, and finally leaving \$500,000 for the purchase of the land and buildings, and a proportionate reduction for a lesser amount.

The charge of \$1,500,000 for pipe supply is manifestly disproportionate to the power supply, and is evidently intended rather to secure the rental of the city cut off for to pay in view of the somewhat uncertain cost of connections for other water works, than the comparative or intrinsic value of the water used.

It is proposed to provide the steam machinery for auxiliary services—largely, if not wholly, owing to the contingent danger of a break in the dam or feeder, and the consequent failure of water power. The cost of this machinery should be recognized when looking to the feeder for pipe supply, by providing an auxiliary intake pipe from the pump works to and into the St. Joe River below Hamilton's dam. The interest on the cost of this pipe and connections, say \$100,000, is legitimate and chargeable to the water power system, when comparing it with wells and the auxiliary intake into Hamilton's pool.

It is to be noted that the value of the water taken from the pool, the value of the water at the event of a break in the dam, would probably be measured by the rental of the dam, and not by the necessities, as in the other case.

Without more definite information as to the average prevalence of extreme low water, it would be impossible to make a near approximation to the value of the water to be taken from the pool for pipe supply. During times of surplus flow it would be nothing. Taking the low water season at ninety days each year and the daily consumption all 3,000,000 gallons per day, the value of the water for pipe supply would be \$1,500,000 per annum, or sufficient to proper your pumping machinery say ten days in each year. In the estimates heretofore given I have used this rate to be \$200 per annum.

In comparing the two systems it is fair to consider in both instances the cost of the water, including the necessary expenses incident to service and cost of supply, as follows:

By STEAM POWER.

Pumping machinery complete as per contract awarded by trustees, \$30,500

Supply wells and conduit to St. Joe River.....2,000

Total.....\$32,500

By WATER AND AUXILIARY STEAM.

Pumping machinery complete as per Messrs. Bass, Simons & Co.'s guarantee.....\$25,000

Right of land and conduit to St. Joe River below dam.....10,000

Conduit to St. Joe River below dam.....10,000

Total.....\$45,000

Difference in favor of water power.....\$12,500

Estimated cost of pumping water including coal and all other expenses, with steam machinery capable of showing a duty of 6,000,000 pounds of water raised one foot high per every 100 pounds of steam consumed. Total cost of water raised 2,000,000 pounds, adding 6 percent interest on excess in cost of plant over water power, \$30,000 at 6 percent int.....\$3,800

Current expenses.....2,000

Constant cost.....\$3,415

TOTAL LEVY, 120 FEET.

Gallons per day.....Cost.....Conl.

1,000,000.....\$3,415 \$341.50 \$3,415.15

2,000,000.....3,415 1,366.20 4,081.30

3,000,000.....3,415 1,888.30 5,003.30

4,000,000.....3,415 2,108.95 5,523.95

5,000,000.....3,415 2,325.80 5,940.80

By water power, including pipe supply—(variable as to the quantity pumped) \$1.50 per annum for a daily pumping of 3,000,000 gallons; constant cost, \$1,500; and all other current expenses \$2,000 per annum.

Gallons per day.....Cost.....Conl.

1,000,000.....\$1,500 \$1,500 \$1,000

2,000,000.....1,500 750 4,250

3,000,000.....1,500 1,000 4,500

4,000,000.....1,500 1,250 4,750

5,000,000.....1,500 1,500 5,000

By steam, 100 instead of 120 feet.

Gallons per day.....Cost.....Conl.

1,000,000.....\$3,025 \$302.50 \$3,727.45

2,000,000.....3,025 1,040